

## CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1           1.(*currently amended*) A paintball gun barrel with compression chamber comprising:  
2           an inner tube having a breech end and a barrel end;  
3           said inner tube having a first length measured from said breech end to said barrel end;  
4           said inner tube having a muzzle end located between said breech end and said barrel  
5 end;  
6           said inner tube having a second length measured from said breech end to said muzzle  
7 end;  
8           said inner tube having a plurality of tear-shaped portholes ~~apertures~~ located between  
9 said breech end and said muzzle end;  
10          an outer tube having a breech end and a muzzle end;  
11          said outer tube having a length measured from said breech end to said muzzle end;  
12          said outer tube sized to accommodate a width of said inner tube;  
13          said outer tube having a plurality of tear-shaped portholes ~~apertures~~ located between  
14 said breech end and said muzzle end;  
15          said outer tube having an inner surface and an outer surface; and  
16          said outer tube having a filter lining said inner surface.

1           2.(*currently amended*) The paintball gun barrel with compression chamber of claim  
2 1 wherein:  
3           said inner tube portholes ~~apertures~~ are dispersed as parallel helixes; and  
4           said inner tube portholes ~~apertures~~ extend from said breech end to said muzzle end.

1           3.(*currently amended*) The paintball gun barrel with compression chamber of claim  
2 1 wherein:  
3           said [[inner]] outer tube portholes ~~apertures~~ are dispersed as parallel helixes; and  
4           said [[inner]] outer tube portholes ~~apertures~~ extend from said breech end to said  
5 muzzle end.

1       **4.(original)** The paintball gun barrel with compression chamber of claim **1** wherein:  
2       said filter is porous;  
3       said filter is spongy; and  
4       said filter extends from said outer tube breech end to said outer tube muzzle end.

1       **5.(original)** The paintball gun barrel with compression chamber of claim **1** wherein:  
2       said inner tube has external threads located at said breech end;  
3       said outer tube has internal threads located at said breech end; and  
4       said outer tube internal threads match said breech end external threads of said inner  
5 tube so that the outer tube is removably and rotatably attachable to said inner tube.

1       **6.(original)** The paintball gun barrel with compression chamber of claim **1** wherein:  
2       said outer tube length is equal to said inner tube second length.